(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor;

(c) what are the names of the projects financed by the TFCI and the amount involved project-wise and also those which are pending for consideration and the amount involved project-wise; and

(d) what action Government have taken or propose to take for such tourist project proposals as named above?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH): (a) to (d) It has been reported by Tourist Finance Corporation of India Ltd (TFCI) that it provides financial assistance to projects for setting up and/or development of tourism, tourism related activities, facilities and services which *inter-alia* include, besides the hotels, convention centres, amusement centres/parks, cultural centres, *restaurants, cafetarias, canteens, Yatri* Niwas, etc. While the minimum size of the project to be eligible for financial assistance from TFCI has been normally placed at a capital cost of Rs. 1 crore, unique projects, from the point of view of tourism for which refinance from IDBI might not be available, could be assisted by TFCI even below that limit. However, projects with a capital cost of below Rs 1 crore are generally assisted by the State-level Financial Institutions and banks for which refinancing continues to be extended by IDBI.

Tourism Finance Corporation of India Ltd, (TFCI) have sanctioned financial assistance to the tune of Rs. 110.26 crores for 75 projects in the tourism sector as on 21-12-1990. 11 applications for tourism projects are pending consideration in TFCI As per the normal Banking Practices, details of individual constituents assisted by the Public Financial Institutions are not divulged as public information.

Attachment of property for evasion of Income-tax

935. SHRI VISHWASRAO RAMRAO PATIL: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the property attached during the last three years in the Union Territory of Delhi for non-payment of income-tax amount; and

(b) in what manner these properties are disposed of for the recovery of income-tax?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE AND DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH) (a) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(b) The attached properties are sold by public auction as provided for in the Second Schedule to the Income Tax Act, 1961

Review of Anti-Defection Law

936 SHRI BHUVNESH CHATURVEDI Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to review Anti-Defection Law in view of the recent developments in several State Assemblies and Parliament; and

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY): (a) and (b) On the basis of the recommendations of an Expert Committee appointed as a sequel to the recommendations of the Committee on Electoral Reforms, the Government had decided on 11th August, 1990 to introduce a Bill in the Parliament to amend the Tenth Schedule to the Constitution to provide for the following:—